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SUBJECT: UNGA-LEGAL COMMITTEE--PROTECTION OF DIPLOMATS

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1. MEETING WITH FOREIGN OFFICE REPS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONVENTION NOT YET POSSIBLE AS DIRECTOR OF COMPETENT LEGAL SECTION WAS ABSENT AND HIS DEPUTY (BUETOW) WHO IS FAMILIAR WITH BACKGROUND OF THIS CONVENTION WAS CALLED TO NEW YORK TO ADVISE FRG UN MISSION ON HANDLING OF THIS MATTER. MEETING OF EMBOFF WITH SECTION DIRECTOR HOFFMAN SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 15.

2. DURING PHONE CONVERSATION WITH JUST-RETURNED HOFFMAN, HE CONFESSED UNFAMILIARITY WITH LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN NEW YORK BUT STATED THAT FRG POSITION HAS BEEN THAT IF OFFENSES COVERED BY CONVENTION ARE LIMITED TO SERIOUS ATTACKS, THERE IS NO NEED FOR MOTIVE, I.E. THAT ALLEGED OFFENDER COMMITTED CRIME BECAUSE VICTIM WAS A DIPLOMAT, AND HE NOT AWARE OF ANY CHANGE IN THAT POSITION. FRG ATTITUDE TO REQUIREMENT THAT ALLEGED OFFENDER KNOW OR HAVE REASON TO KNOW OF THE OFFICIAL

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STATUS OF VICTIM, NOW AGREED TO AS REQUIREMENT IN

WESTERN GROUP, NOT YET DISCUSSED.

3. SUGGEST THAT USUN SEEK TO DISCUSS MATTER WITH
DR. BUETOW WHO IS PROBABLY MORE KNOWLEDGABLE ON DETAILS
OF FRG VIEWS AND MORE INFLUENTIAL RE THEIR VIEWS THAN
BRACKLO.

4. EMBASSY WILL REPORT ASAP ON DISCUSSIONS WITH
HOFFMAN.
HILLENBRAND

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